	276+		
	#2		
	RECEIVED		
t:	JUN 1 6 2000		
	GROUP 2700		

					,
	IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE				
BEE	<i>خ</i> ـ	Applicant:	Michael G. Martinek et al.)	HECE
	TRA	Serial No.:	09/520,404) Group Art Unit:	JUN 16
		Filing Date:	March 8, 2000) Examiner:	GROUP
		For:	ENCRYPTION IN A SECURE COMPUTERIZED GAMING SYSTEM))	
		Docket No.:	PA0389.ap.US)	

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

I CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL, POSTAGE PREPAID, IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS, WASHINGTON, DC 20231, ON June 8, 2000.

Sir:

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted to fulfill Applicant's duty of disclosure pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97. Submitted with this Information Disclosure Statement is Form PTO-1449 (1 page) listing the enclosed references.

Applicant is aware of the patents or publications listed on the enclosed PTO From -1449. Copies of the patents or publications are enclosed.

The information disclosure statement is being filed:

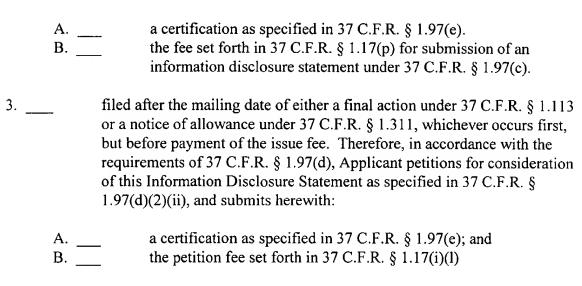
- with the application or within three months of the filing date of the 1. X application or date of entry into the national stage of an international application or before the mailing date of a first Office action on the merits, whichever event occurs last. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b), no certification or fee is required.
- after the time period specified in paragraph 1 above, but before the 2.

Information Disclosure Statement Serial No. 09/520,404

Title: ENCRYPTION IN A SECURE COMPUTERIZED GAMING SYSTEM

Page 2 of 3

mailing date of a final action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113 or notice of allowance under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311. Therefore, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97©, submitted herewith is:



With the filing of the above-referenced disclosures, Applicant submits that this application is now in condition for examination, and request favorable consideration thereof.

It is believed that no additional fees are due. However, in the event that fees associated with this application are due, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account 19-2140. A duplicate of this authorization is enclosed.

Any inquiry regarding this matter should be directed to Mark A. Litman, Esq., MARK A. LITMAN & ASSOCIATES, P.A., York Business Center, Suite 205, 3209 West 76th Street, Edina, MN 55435.

Information Disclosure Statement Serial No. 09/520,404

Title: ENCRYPTION IN A SECURE COMPUTERIZED GAMING SYSTEM

Page 3 of 3

Please send all future correspondence related to this application to:

Mark A. Litman, Esq.
Registration No. 36,390

MARK A. LITMAN & ASSOCIATES, P.A.
York Business Center
Suite 205
3209 West 76th Street
Edina, MN 55435

Telephone: 952.832.9090 Facsimile: 952.832.9191

Respectfully submitted,

Date: _6/8/2000

By:

Jennifev K. Farrar

Registration No. 34,775 Attorney for Applicant Shuffle Master, Inc.

1106 Palms Airport Drive

Las Vegas, NV 89119 Telephone: (702) 270-5106

Telefax: (702) 260-1174

JKF:sll

Enclosure:

PTO Form 1449 3 References